

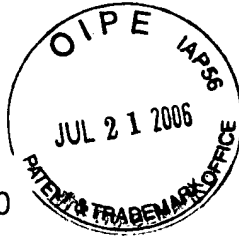
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Sir:

This paper is in reply to the Office Action dated April 7, 2006, the period to respond being extended one (1) month from July 7, 2006 to August 7, 2006 by the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time.

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